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420 to 426 7th Street.

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OUR ANNIVERSARY SALE

in Full Swing.

It's fortunate that we had the foresight to anticipate the full magnitude of this sale. Otherwise, some lines would have been sadly broken and depleted right in the midst of it. But ample provision was made, and despite the heaviest selling we have ever experienced, every stock is as full and varied as on the first day of the sale. The items listed below are representative of the unequaled bargains to be found here.

\$5.00 Silk Petticoat,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$3.98.

Made of rich, heavy taffeta, in plain shades of brown, white, gunmetal, pearl and gray, in navy, red and green, changeable and plain black. Cut full, finished with deep circular flounces, with rows of fine shirring; full foundation and dust ruffle; gored at top on French yoke.

35c. White Flannel,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
25c.

3-4 Wide White Wool Flannel, for infants' use, etc. Only 25 pieces, and at the price we will sell this lot it will not last long; so be on hand early.

35c. Flannel,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
25c.

Blue and Gray Twilled and Red Medicated Flannel; 27 inches wide; all pure wool, for underwear and men's shirts.

20c. White Lawn,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
15c.

40-inch Sheer White Lawn, for aprons and underwear, etc.

\$4.69 Blanket,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$3.98.

11-4 Full-size White Wool Blanket; closely woven, finely finished; a slightly double-stitched all borders; wide silk binding.

\$6.00 Blanket,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$4.39.

11-4 Full-size All-wool White Blanket; shrunken; every pair fully guaranteed by us; no cotton whatever in warp or filling.

\$6.50 Blanket,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$5.00.

11-4 Full-size White Wool California Blanket; made from long staple, high-grade, California wool; shrunken; wide, double-stitched all borders; blue and pink borders.

\$8.00 Blanket,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$5.90.

11-4 Full-size All-wool California Blanket; comes in white and fancy plaids; absolutely all-wool, made in the best possible manner out of the very best materials, shrunken; all borders in the white.

98c. Suitsings,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
69c.

56-inch Fancy Suitsings; broken plaids and stripes; in blue, brown, gray, green and black.

\$1.25 Victoria Cloth,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
98c.

All-wool Lustrous finished Satisfactory Victoria Cloth; chignon weight; in the wanted shades and black.

\$1.50 Tourist Cloth,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$1.19.

56-inch Tourist Cloth for coats and suits, in plaids and stripes.

\$2.50 Kersey Cloth,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$1.98.

56-inch All-wool Kersey, in wanted shades and black.

\$2.39 Broadcloth,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$1.98.

52-inch All-wool Imported Broadcloth; guaranteed to retain finish in washing.

\$3.00 Broadcloth,
"ANNIVERSARY PRICE,"
\$2.48.

56-inch Black Broadcloth; chignon weight; London shrunken; permanent finish and spot proof.

Wool Bath Robe Blankets.

Full line of colors and combinations; makes a large size robe.

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AETNA BANK CONDITION

STATEMENT ISSUED BY CONTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

W. B. Ridgely, controller of the currency, has given out the following statement relative to the defunct Aetna bank of this city and Butte, Mont.: "A report received at this office from the receiver of the Aetna Banking and Trust Company at Butte, Mont., indicates that the condition of affairs there is nearly as bad as that at the branch bank in this city."

"The deposits, including those represented by certificates, exceed \$350,000; other liabilities indicate that the total will be nearly \$400,000."

"The receiver found only \$9,000 of cash in the bank. An asset appearing on the books as a liability of the New York office for \$107,000 is the stock and securities of the Aetna Bank of New York, which assets whatever have been found at 88 Wall street, New York, where the bank formerly conducted some sort of a branch bank."

Alleged Worthless Securities.
"The branch bank at Washington, D. C., is charged with \$42,400, which is worthless. Assets listed as stock and securities amounting to \$116,700 are practically worthless."

"There appears to be nothing among the assets of substantial value, unless it can be found among the installment loans on an estate, of the nominal value of \$46,439.09."

"The Aetna Banking and Trust Company is a corporation organized under the laws of West Virginia, and during the past few years there have been frequent large transfers of its stock. That the money of the depositors has been stolen is apparent; where it has gone is not easy to discover. The officers whose duty it is to prosecute criminals have been notified, but have been unable to do so. The company is operating with the receivers to apprehend and punish the guilty."

Case in Police Court.

John T. Hoag, assistant cashier of the Aetna Banking and Trust Company, which was closed by the controller of the currency about two weeks ago, and who is charged jointly with E. W. McCormick, R. Donaldson and Miss Barbara Kretschmann with conspiracy to defraud the United States, was arraigned in the Police Court this morning on the conspiracy charge. He pleaded not guilty and waived the preliminary hearing. He is charged, by all the others charged in the warrant. He was then held for the action of the grand jury, which will hold him for the sum of \$2,000 for his appearance in the higher court when required.

Mr. Hoag was arrested in Chicago and brought here by the police. He was held in the first precinct station last night.

His Statement.

In regard to the charge against him, Mr. Hoag told a Star reporter today that he was not guilty of any criminal acts, but stated that he was not familiar with the specific act with which he is charged, he could not make any statement at the present time.

"I guess it is the men back of me that you want," commented Mr. Hoag to Detective Bunting, according to the detective's statement. He stated that he knew of some transactions between the western office of the company and the western bank which he objected to at the time, but he denied that he was a party to anything criminal.

GENERAL AND PERSONAL

NEWS OF GEORGETOWN

Frederick H. Mansfield, colored, fifty-five years of age, whose home is at 1152 10th street, fell from his wagon while driving along Wisconsin avenue near Grant road yesterday afternoon. One wheel of the vehicle passed over his head. Mansfield was removed to Georgetown University Hospital on a stretcher by Policeman Jacobson and given treatment. He received several scalp wounds, but his skull was not fractured. He was able to go home this morning.

A small boy named Harry Crampton, whose parents reside at 2225 Prospect avenue, was bitten by a dog yesterday and painfully injured. He was taken home and attended by a physician.

The regular and junior choirs of Grace Episcopal Church, Wisconsin avenue and Grace street, are to sing at a bazaar to be given by the director and Miss Emily R. Smedes, organist. The united choir will sing at the bazaar Sunday, November 11, at the morning service.

Policeman Robert H. Clark of the seventh precinct is at Hunter, Va., for a stay of several weeks, having been ordered there by his superior.

Mr. Robert Wright of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chaffee at 1608 Avon place, has returned home.

FIFTH MARYLAND DISTRICT.

Address at Hyattsville by Democratic Candidate.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., October 31, 1906.

George M. Smith, the democratic candidate for Congress from the fifth congressional district, addressed an audience in Masonic Hall here last evening. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Hyattsville Democratic Club. William T. Casey called the meeting to order and Jackson H. Halston presided and introduced the speakers. The vice presidents were Mayor Joseph R. Owens, Dr. Charles A. Wells, Judge Arthur Carr, W. P. Magruder and J. W. Carter. Brooke Hunter and Frank Mudd served as secretaries.

Mr. Smith, in reply to Mr. Mudd's assertion that he voted for the representative on three different occasions, contended that the charge was ridiculous and, even if true, it was impossible for Mr. Mudd to prove the statement, because of the existence of the secret ballot.

Continuing Mr. Smith declared Mr. Mudd is a very badly frightened man. Referring to the assertion that it was through Mr. Mudd's influence that the Naval Academy was retained in Annapolis and large appropriations secured for the reconstruction of the buildings there, Mr. Smith declared that the buildings were in such a dilapidated state that Congress would have made the appropriations even though the fifth congressional district had been without representation. He admitted that Mr. Mudd had participated in the movement to secure the appropriation and that he had been of service to the district in other particulars, but contended that Mr. Mudd had done no more than any other representative desiring to do his duty would have attempted.

Mr. Smith declared that Mr. Mudd had done nothing to advance the agricultural interests of southern Maryland, a section where he secured the vote. Referring to promises made by Mr. Mudd, Mr. Smith remarked, "If I am elected to Congress I will promise to build a dry dock at Bladensburg," and the statement created much laughter when the point of the statement was appreciated. "I have made a house-to-house canvass in Baltimore," Mr. Smith announced, "and I want to say that I honestly believe I am going to be elected. While I glory in the fact that I am a friend of the laboring man and a member of a labor organization, I pride myself also that I am a democrat and always have been a straight one. I have never accused Mr. Mudd of being a republican, and he never has been one. He is a Mudd man pure and simple. He has built up a powerful machine in southern Maryland counties, and I defy any young man, young or old, to hope to aspire to political office in these counties without first securing the consent and approval of Mr. Mudd."

The other speakers were Joseph Fanning of Riverdale, Philmore Beall of Hyattsville and Robert W. Wells of Hyattsville.

Strangest Bargain on Record.
The most singular bargain on record was driven by Titus Sim, an upper servant on the Middlecott estate. Learn its nature by reading Eden Philpotts' masterpiece, "Daniel Swenson," which The Star will publish serially beginning November 3, prior to book publication. It is seventh of the world-famous \$150,000 series.

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ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS

WEDDING AT RESIDENCE OF CAPT. HERBERT BRYANT.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., October 31, 1906.

A home wedding occurred at noon today at the residence of Capt. Herbert Bryant, 306 North Washington street, when his daughter, Miss Agnes Carlyle Bryant, and Lieut. John Downs, U. S. N., were married. The ceremony occurred in the drawing room. Rev. P. Phillips, pastor of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, officiating. The drawing room was decorated with white chrysanthemums. The bride entered on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage. The wedding march was rendered by an orchestra from Washington.

The bride was becomingly gowned in hand-embroidered Japanese crepe and carried a bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Ruth Bryant, who acted as maid of honor. The groom was attired in a gown of pink marquisette and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was attended by Ensign J. O. Richardson as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held after which Lieut. and Mrs. Downs left for a trip west. They will reside at Des Moines, Iowa. Only the immediate relatives of the families represented attended the wedding ceremony.

Charge of Selling Cocaine.

William J. B. Duncan of the firm of Lennon & Duncan, druggists, was arraigned in the Police Court today on a charge of selling a patent catarrh powder alleged to contain cocaine. Mr. Duncan admitted having sold the drug, but claimed that he immediately discontinued the sale when he ascertained that it contained cocaine, which was after the trial of Howard Banks, colored, who murdered Thomas Elzey, also colored. The defendant also claimed that he did not sell the remedy in large quantities.

The complaining witness against Mr. Duncan were four colored people named Bryant. Justice Caton held that the law had been violated and imposed a fine of \$75. Mr. Duncan waived an appeal.

Search for Alleged Murderer.

Policeman Herbert Knight, who had been to Logan, Pa., in search of William John Logan, alias George Midge, colored, wanted for the murder of Charles T. Smith, returned last night. It was also hoped to locate Frank Robinson, who is wanted by the police as an accomplice to the murder and also for an assault on Policeman Nicholson. While the police are doing a search of immediate results it is understood that he secured information of value.

The committee having charge of the solemn vesper service next Sunday at St. Mary's Catholic Church at 7:30 o'clock in the evening under the auspices of Pittsburg Council No. 450 of the Order of Columbus, have perfected all arrangements for the same. Rev. Father Albert Nega-haquet, a Potawatomi Indian from Oklahoma, who is a student at the American Mission House, Brookland, D. C., will be the celebrant. A sermon appropriate to the occasion will be delivered by Rev. Alexander P. Doyle, C. S. P., superior of the Apostolic Mission House, Brookland.

An old Gregorian vesper service will be chanted by a double sextet composed of seminarians from the Holy Cross College, Brookland.

Charges Against Firemen.

At a meeting of the Reliance Steam Fire Engine Company last evening, charges were preferred, it is said, against six members of the company for alleged failure to work at fire. The complainant, who is said to be a member of the company, failed to put in an appearance, so no action was taken in the matter.

In the police court today Matthew Simms was sentenced to serve twenty days in jail on a charge of vagrancy. The case of Lillian Blair and Melville Terrell, charged with disorderly conduct and vagrancy, was continued until tomorrow morning.

Brief Mention.

The condition of Eugene Wilson, colored, who was shot yesterday morning by a boy named James, also colored, remains unchanged. It is not thought that he will recover. The shooting occurred in Alexandria county, and it is said that the county authorities will take action in the matter. Soon after the arrival of the boy at the Alexandria Hospital yesterday afternoon an ante-mortem examination was made.

It is said that Messrs. Machen and Moncre, attorneys for Howard Banks, colored, who was yesterday sentenced to be hanged by the United States court here, have been retained by the United States court for a writ of error and super-seede in the case.

No change is apparent in the strike situation among the machinists employed by the Southern Railway Company here. The Baldwin Locomotive Works, Philadelphia, who arrived here several days ago to put several engines together, have gone to work.

GENERAL NEWS GATHERED

ON THE RIVER FRONT

The machinery of the marine railway at Alexandria, which was so badly damaged by fire about ten days ago as to be rendered useless, is to be replaced by new machinery at once, and within a short time it is thought that the railway will be in working order and ready to haul out large boats. The new machinery has been ordered and it is stated, is on its way to Alexandria and will be installed as soon as it arrives. The railway itself is to be given overhauling before it is put in operation again. This railway is the only one of its kind in this section on which vessels of large tonnage are hauled.

Arrived: Tug Edward Gummell, towing two coal-laden barges from Baltimore, laden with hard coal for Georgetown; Winifred Winslow, Oyster Boat, from the Potomac; Lydia Vernon, Dove and Plumie E. Smith, oysters from Potomac beds; steam barge James I. Reed, cord wood from the Potomac; schooner Thomas and Henry, light, for a bay point to enter the oyster trade; schooner Eliza, light, for a bay point to load a cargo of canned goods back to this port; schooner Eliza, light, for a bay point to load a cargo of canned goods back to this port; schooner Eliza, light, for a bay point to load a cargo of canned goods back to this port.

Departed: Schooner Thelma has arrived at Jacksonville, Fla., and is loading a cargo of pine lumber there for this port; tug William H. Yerkes has sailed from the large Wisconsin river for this port with the barge Baltimore in tow; schooner Lizzie Williams, unloading a cargo of lumber and lumber, and is to enter the river for this port; schooner Eliza, light, for a bay point to load a cargo of canned goods back to this port; schooner Eliza, light, for a bay point to load a cargo of canned goods back to this port; schooner Eliza, light, for a bay point to load a cargo of canned goods back to this port.

At Dogue Run, Mr. Murray of this city, with half a dozen others, have settled and possibly will in a few years adopt a more dignified name, as the place is now known as Layville. Herndon, which is a small struggling village, has about 800 inhabitants and is thriving with some home industries, a cannery house, a saw and planing mill, flour mill, wheelwright and blacksmith shops, eight or ten stores, etc. Some of the streets have been improved by paving. While gratified by the signs of progress on every hand, Mr. Murray is disappointed not to be able to find many of his schoolmates of seventy years ago. Some, he says, have removed to other places and others to the great beyond, explaining Mrs. Cockrell, Mrs. Carper and John H. Hirst.

Changes in Lighthouse Service.

The following changes in lighthouse keepers in this district have recently been made by Commander Lloyd U. S. N. Lighthouse Inspector for the district: Charles S. Hudgins, assistant keeper of the Maryland Point lighthouse on the Potomac river, has been transferred to the Deep Water Shoals lighthouse.

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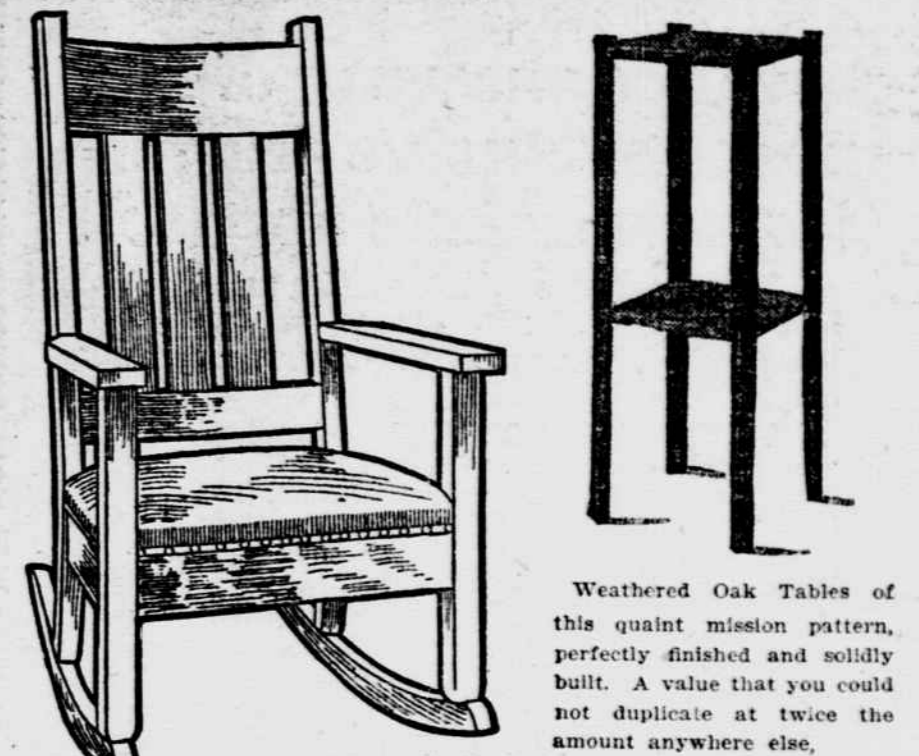
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The Largest Exclusively Cash Furniture and Carpet House in the City.

Special Sale of Weathered Oak Pieces.

We have just effected a big purchase of Weathered Oak Furniture on such favorable terms that we can offer values that have never been duplicated in this city before. The shipment is very extensive, and contains all sorts of handsome and useful pieces. You can judge the size of the bargains from these—



Weathered Oak Tables of this quaint mission pattern, perfectly finished and solidly built. A value that you could not duplicate at twice the amount anywhere else.

This large and massive Weathered Oak Rocker with spring seat, upholstered in leatherette. A very substantial and well-made piece which would double this price. \$4.85

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DR. MCGEE'S LECTURE.

Describes Her Experiences as Nurse in Russo-Japanese War.

Many pleasant things were said about the Japanese and their friendliness for the Americans by Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee last night at the home of her father, Prof. Newcomb, 1620 P street. The occasion was announced by Dr. McGee as her farewell lecture on "A Woman's Experience in the Japanese Army." Since her return from the land of the chrysanthemum and cherry blossom she has delivered the lecture over the length and breadth of the United States. Dr. McGee's guests last night in the large parlors of the Newcomb home were the members of Gen. Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, United Spanish War Veterans, headed by Commander G. E. Housch, Dr. McGee is an active member of the camp. She enjoys the distinction of being the only woman who is eligible to membership in the United Spanish War Veterans. Her eligibility is based on her service in the war with Spain as an acting assistant surgeon and the fact that she was a commissioned officer of the army.

The lecture was illustrated with a number of realistic photographic views which were shown by Dr. McGee during the Japanese Russo-Japanese War. She was superior of a number of American nurses in Japan under the auspices of the Red Cross Society. During that struggle her offer of personal assistance was accepted by the Japanese government and the Red Cross Society. The minister of war appointed Dr. McGee "Kangofu kankoku" (superior of nurses) with rank of officer in the Japanese army.

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